

ST. THOMAS' TERANG & ST. COLMAN'S MORTLAKE

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Parish Safeguarding Officer ~ Clare Neal ~ "We are a Child Safe Parish"

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St. Thomas' Terang ~ Mr. Matthew Uzkuraitis Ph 5592 1925
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Mercy Regional College ~ Ms Sharon Gillett Ph 5593 2011

St. Thomas the Apostle and St. Colman's Parishes acknowledge and respect the traditional custodians of this land the Kirrae Wuurong people.

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

19th & 20th February 2022

RECENT DEATHS: Cassie Hare, Ross Fleming

ANNIVERSARIES: Maggie O'Keeffe

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

(Names placed on the sick list will remain for 3 weeks unless otherwise notified)

SUPPORTING OUR PARISHES: Thank you for your ongoing support of our Parishes

<u>Weekend 12th/13th January 2022</u>	<u>TERANG</u>	<u>MORTLAKE</u>
1st Collection	\$ 581.65	\$ 109.00
<u>Planned Giving Program Week 81</u>		
2nd Collection	\$ 455.00	\$ 50.00
Average given	\$ 1,666.28	\$ 275.69
Amount promised per week	\$ 1,619.73	\$ 300.81

TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

LINEN: February Terang: Coral Bell Mortlake: Rita Pasque

FLOWERS: 26th/27th February

Terang: Annette Heffernan & Josie Vaughan Mortlake: Jenny Finnerty

Mortlake Set Up: February - Rita Madsen

Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 26th & 27th February 2022

READERS: 1st & 2nd reading & Prayers of the Faithful

Terang Saturday 6.00 pm: Christine Moloney Sunday 10.30 am: Justin Staunton
Mortlake Sunday 9.00 am: Pam Smith

Offertory: NO OFFERTORY - DUE TO COVID

Eucharistic Minister: Terang Sat 6pm: Sam Meade Sun 10.30 am: Kathleen O'Sullivan

Music Mortlake Sun 9.00 am: Donna Baxter

Lap Top Terang: Sat 6.00 pm: Lenny & Bella Scanlon Sun 10.30 am: Max & Greta Neal

The St Vincent de Paul Working Bee

(Words written by Brother Austin Avenue)

There was movement at the meeting when the rumour went about
That the elderly folk were freezing for the wood supply had run out
So we put our heads together and decided that we should
Put everything else aside for once and get a load of wood

At first it was suggested we organise a gang
And find somebody with a truck to get a load from Laang
One member said that was no good, why should we have to pay
When we could get the wood we wanted just half a mile away
The only trouble is he said we have to get it cut
So we had better see the owner and make sure the gate is not shut

Ben van de Camp came early, said was no good being late
He was sitting on the saw bench when we opened up the gate
When they fixed on the tractor the dust began to fly
The grasshoppers and the lizards they bade us all good-bye

Jim Carty was on duty he didn't like to miss the show
Although the pubs were closed that day he said you never know
So we better take the warning and go easy on the wine
Or else we would do the licence, plus a sixty dollar fine

Bell Terrington was doubtful they were busy at the Co
But it happened to be a holiday so he thought he had better go
Jack Maguire sharpened up the axe and the chips flew through the air
Jim Alexander would resign if he happened to be there
One member heard a rumour and he thought it would be true
That a member had a chain saw up in Austin Avenue
So we sought out Jack the Ripper and he said the cause was good
He would come along at any time and help to cut the wood

We had a real good muster of energetic men
Brian and Mick from Kolora and Frank Hammond from the Glen
Jim Harney came from Garvoc a helping hand to lend
Not forgetting the Maguire boys and Big Jack from the Bend

Bob Grayland brought his tractor; we say good on you Bob
With the help of Peter Heffernan you did a terrific job
Hats off to Mick O'Connor he was on the job all day
With the help of Brian Moloney he was carting the wood away

It seems the means of transport must be getting pretty weak
For one man came by tractor from beyond the Emu Creek
He said the missus had the car and he must help with the wood
He arrived with two bald tyres and the brakes were not too good

We all spring to attention when Harry mentions wood
Everyone did their best to help; they thought they really should
So you elderly folk don't worry it's a sight you would like to see
The local boys in action at St Vinnies' Working Bee

Weekday Masses

Thur 24th Feb: 1.30pm
St Pat's Camperdown
(Ross Fleming Funeral)

Fri 25th Feb: 10.00am Terang

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

ST THOMAS' TERANG

Saturday 6.00 pm
Sunday 10.30 am

ST COLMAN'S MORTLAKE

Sunday 9.00 am

Next Weeks Readings:

26th & 27th February 2022

1st read: Sirach 27: 4-7
2nd read: 1 Cor 15: 54-58
Gospel: Lk 6: 39-45

**Start by doing
what's necessary;
then do what's
possible; and
suddenly you
are doing the
impossible.**

Francis of Assisi

**Terang Mortlake St
Vincent de Paul
Conference**

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**Notices need to be at St.
Thomas' Parish Office by
10.00 am next Friday**